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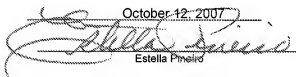
**For:** SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR EVALUATING HEART FAILURE  
BASED ON VENTRICULAR END-DIASTOLIC VOLUME  
USING AN IMPLANTABLE MEDICAL DEVICE

**AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Estella Pineda

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 12, 2007, for which a one-month extension of time is hereby requested, please amend the application as follows.